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Atty Docket: IDF 2563 (4000-16000)**Patent****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Serial No.:	10/697,417	§	
		§	Examiner: Seye, Abdou K.
Filed:	October 30, 2003	§	
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	Asynchronous Processing in	§	
	COBOL	§	

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AMENDMENT TO SPECIFICATION FOR EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

Applicant thanks Examiner Abdou K. Seye for his telephone call on April 24, 2008. Examiner Seye suggested amendments to paragraph 001 be made to update the application serial number information. Applicant herein authorizes the following amendments to be entered by means of an Examiner's Amendment. The changes made are shown by underlining the added text and surrounding with double brackets the deleted text.

Amendments to the **Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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Please delete paragraph [001] in its entirety and replace with the following:

[001] This application is related to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/696,968, now U.S. Patent No. 7,340,731 issued March 4, 2008 [[_____]], entitled SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COBOL TO PROVIDE SHARED MEMORY AND MEMORY AND MESSAGE QUEUES, inventor Joseph G. Laura, filed on even date herewith, U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/696,895, now U.S. Patent No. 7,340,735 issued March 4, 2008 [[_____]], entitled IMPLEMENTATION OF DISTRIBUTED AND ASYNCHRONOUS PROCESSING IN COBOL, inventor Joseph G. Laura, filed on even date herewith, and pending U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/696,828 [[_____]], entitled SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DISTRIBUTED PROCESSING IN COBOL, inventor Joseph G. Laura, filed on even date herewith, all of which are incorporated herein by reference for all purposes.

Atty Docket: IDF 2563 (4000-16000)**Patent****Conclusion**

If the Examiner has any questions or comments or otherwise feels it would be helpful in expediting the application, he is encouraged to telephone the undersigned at (972) 731-2288.

Respectfully submitted,

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